aa⁸⁴ is a hydrophobic or small amino acid; wherein

the sequence in the brackets may optionally be absent or truncated at any [peptide type] bond within the brackets.

18. (Amended) A method for extending the period of acceptance by a recipient a transplant from an allogenic or xenogenic MHC [unmatched] donor, said method comprising:

administering to said donor in accordance with a [predetermined] therapeutically effective regimen[,] and in an amount effective to extend the period of acceptance of said transplant, the compound of claim 1;

whereby the period of acceptance of said transplant is extended.

19. (Amended) The method of claim 18, wherein said compound is administered in combination with a subtherapeutic dosage of an immunosuppressant <u>agent</u>, and said period of acceptance is extended as compared to the period which would have resulted from the administering of [the] <u>said</u> immunosuppressant <u>agent</u> as said subtherapeutic dosage in the absence of said compound.

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